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**Subpart A—Scope and Purpose**

**§ 1000.1 Scope and purpose of this part 1000.**

This part sets forth certain terms, definitions, and provisions which shall be common to and apply to Federal milk marketing order in 7 CFR, chapter X, except as specifically defined otherwise, or modified, or otherwise provided, in an individual order in 7 CFR, chapter X.

**Subpart B—Definitions**

**§ 1000.2 General definitions.**

(a) *Act* means Public Act No. 10, 73d Congress, as amended and as reenacted and amended by the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended (7 U.S.C. 601 *et seq.*).

(b) *Order* or *Federal milk order* means the applicable part of 7 CFR, chapter X, issued pursuant to Section 8c of the Act as a Federal milk marketing order (as amended).

(c) *Department* means the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

(d) *Secretary* means the Secretary of Agriculture of the United States or any officer or employee of the Department to whom authority has heretofore been delegated, or to whom authority may hereafter be delegated, to act in his stead.